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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants in the above-referenced patent application herewith petition for a three-month extension of time to and including November 15, 2003 for response to the Office Action dated May 15, 2003.

Responsive to the Office action dated May 15, 2003, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with this application.